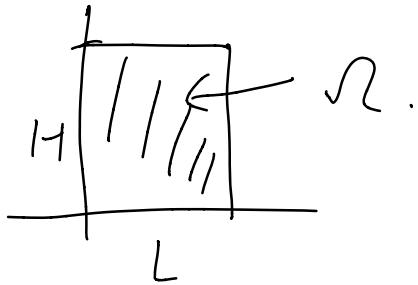


Recall:

$$\begin{cases} u_t = \Delta u, \\ u = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega. \end{cases}$$



Separation of variables:

$$\begin{cases} \Delta \phi + \lambda \phi = 0 \\ \phi = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega. \end{cases}$$

$$G'(t) = -\lambda G(t) \quad G(t) = e^{-\lambda t}$$

$$\lambda_{mn} = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{m\pi}{H}\right)^2$$

$$\phi_{mn} = \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x \sin \frac{m\pi}{H} y$$

$$u(x, y, t) = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_{mn} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x \sin \frac{m\pi}{H} y e^{-\lambda_{mn} t}$$

$$u(x, y, 0) = f(x, y). \text{ How to find } A_{mn}.$$

(Orthogonality)

General eigen value problem:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Delta \phi + \lambda \phi = 0 \\ a\phi + b \langle \phi, \vec{n} \rangle = 0 \text{ on } \partial\Omega \end{array} \right.$$

Thm: (1) All λ are real

(2) $\lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \lambda_3 \dots$

(3) Eigenvalue need not to be

simple one eigen value corresponds
to a finite dimensional eigenspace

$\{\phi_n\}_{n=1}^{\infty}$ is a complete orthogonal basis

$$f(x, y) = \sum a_n \phi_n(x, y)$$

$$\langle \phi_n, \phi_m \rangle = \iint \phi_n \phi_m \, dx dy = 0 \text{ if } m \neq n.$$

(must apply Gram-Schmidt to each eigenspace to get orthogonal basis)

(4). If $\Delta\phi = -\lambda\phi$,

$$\text{then } \lambda = \frac{-\int_{\Omega} \phi \langle \nabla \phi, \vec{n} \rangle + \iint_{\Omega} |\nabla \phi|^2}{\iint_{\Omega} \phi^2}$$

$$\text{If } H=L, \quad \lambda_{12} = \left(\frac{\pi}{L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\pi}{L}\right)^2$$

$$\lambda_{21} = \left(\frac{\pi}{L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\pi}{2L}\right)^2.$$

$$\lambda_{12} = \lambda_{21}. \quad \phi_{12} = \sin \frac{\pi}{H} y \sin \frac{L\pi}{L} x$$

$$\phi_{21} = \sin \frac{2\pi}{H} y \sin \frac{\pi}{L} x$$

Double Fourier series.

$$f(x, y) = \sum a_{nm} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x \sin \frac{m\pi}{H} y.$$

$$a_{nm} = \frac{\langle f, \phi_{nm} \rangle}{\langle \phi_{nm}, \phi_{nm} \rangle}$$

$$= \frac{4}{LH} \int_0^L \int_0^H f \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x \sin \frac{m\pi}{H} y dx dy$$

(Rayleigh quotient
multiply ϕ and integrate.)

Thm: Δ is self-adjoint.

$$\langle \Delta \phi, \psi \rangle = \langle \phi, \Delta \psi \rangle.$$

Pf: $(a\phi + b\langle \Delta \phi, \vec{n} \rangle) =_0$
 $(a\psi + b\langle \Delta \psi, \vec{n} \rangle) =_0$ on $\partial\Omega$

$$\phi \langle \Delta \psi, \vec{n} \rangle - \psi \langle \Delta \phi, \vec{n} \rangle =_0 \text{on } \partial\Omega$$

$$\langle \Delta \phi, \psi \rangle = \iint (\nabla^2 \phi) \psi$$

$$= \int_{\partial\Omega} \langle \Delta \phi, \vec{n} \rangle \cdot \psi - \iint_{\Omega} \langle \Delta \phi, \nabla \psi \rangle$$

$$\langle \phi, \Delta \psi \rangle = \int_{\partial\Omega} \langle \Delta \psi, \vec{n} \rangle \phi - \iint_{\Omega} \langle \Delta \psi, \nabla \phi \rangle$$

If ϕ_n, ϕ_m are two eigenfunctions

$$\Delta \phi_n = \lambda_n \phi_n \quad \lambda_n \neq \lambda_m.$$

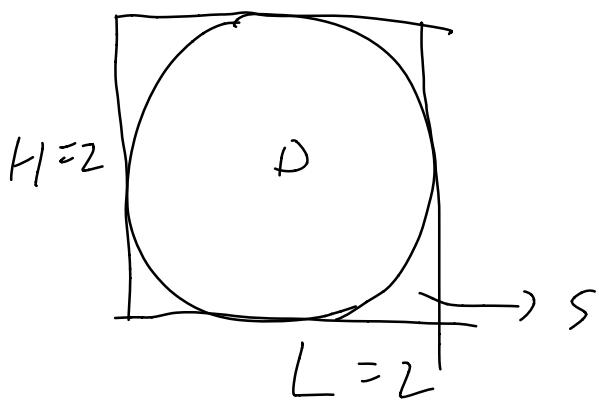
$$\Delta \phi_m = \lambda_m \phi_m$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } \lambda_n < \phi_n, \phi_m > &= < \Delta \phi_n, \phi_m > \\ &= < \phi_n, \Delta \phi_m > \\ &= -\lambda_m < \phi_n, \phi_m >. \\ < \phi_n, \phi_m > &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

λ_1 is the minimal of the Rayleigh quotient.

$$\lambda_1 = \min_{\substack{\phi \text{ satisfy} \\ BC}} \frac{- \int \langle \Delta \phi, \vec{r} \cdot \nabla \phi \rangle + \iint (\partial \phi)^2}{\iint \phi^2}$$

Example:



D disc of radius 1

S square of length 2.

D is contained in S

Dirichlet Boundary

$$\lambda_1(D) = \min_{\phi|_{\partial D} = 0} \frac{\iint |\nabla \phi|^2}{\iint |\phi|^2}$$

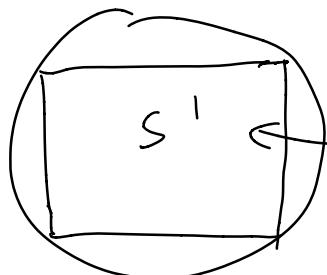
$$\geq \min_{\psi|_{\partial S} = 0} \frac{\iint |\nabla \psi|^2}{\iint |\psi|^2}$$

$$= \lambda_1(S)$$

$$\text{so } \lambda_1(D) \geq \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{2}.$$

We can get upper bounds by

(1)

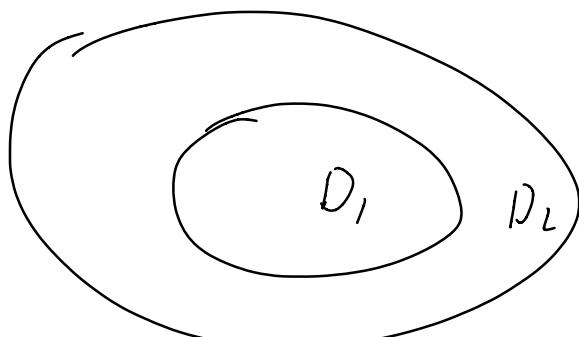


put a square \checkmark in D .
 $\lambda_1(D) \leq \lambda_1(S')$

(2)

Test function $f(x,y) = 1 - r^2$.

$$\lambda_1(D) \leq \frac{\iint_D f^2}{\iint f^2}$$



Two drums.

D₁ is smaller than

D₂ ((orthogonal in D₂))

Then frequency of D_1 , $\frac{\lambda_1(D_1)}{2\pi}$ is

higher than the frequency of

$$D_2 \quad \frac{\lambda(D)}{2\pi}.$$